



PATENT APPLICATION

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INCITING A MOVEMENT OF A TEAT CUP CLUSTER

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RESPONSE

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In response to the Office Action dated February 3, 2010,
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